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AMENDMENT

SIR:

Please enter the following Amendment in the above-identified patent application.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel Claim 11 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please add Claim 12 as follows:

12. (Newly Added) A gel electrolyte secondary cell comprising:  
a positive electrode;  
a negative electrode comprising a graphitized carbonaceous material comprising a plurality of meso-carbon micro-beads; and  
a gel electrolyte comprising an electrolyte salt, a non-aqueous solvent and a high-molecular weight material having a number average molecular weight ranging from 5000 to 500000.

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